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COUNTY NEWS.

From The Plains.

Try Jeter & Son on Holiday goods. W A Handley was a Marshall visitor this week.

The mud and sleet puts most pedestrians in a cussing humor.

Jeter & Son have the nicest line of confectionaries in Malta Bend.

Go to Jeter & Son for your Xmas candies, raisins, oranges and nuts.

Mrs W R Needels is on the sick list this week with a serious throat trouble.

Major Wm Ballard and Mrs. Maggie Anderson were admiring the Xmas tricks in Marshall.

Price staple and fancy groceries at Jeter & Son. They will give you clean, fresh and up-to-date goods.

Those who filled their ice houses are congratulating themselves on the fact that there may not be another chance in 12 months.

James Gohan and daughter, Miss Winnie of Manhattan, Kan. arrived Saturday for a few weeks visit with Mr Gohan's daughter, Mrs Fannie Baker.

Franc Kiel and John Eberle are anxious for a chance to charivari someone. We wonder why they don't jump in and get their mate so some else can have some fun.

Crum and Cliff were in St. Louis first of last week, and in K C latter part of the week where they bought 105 fine stock cattle. These men are feeding over 400 head and pay the top of the market for corn. May success accompany their speculation.

N. C. Twp. Items.

Albert Heinzel has inflammatory rheumatism.

Bob Sands is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Thomas Crompton and wife have moved from Frankfort to Slater.

Dan Norvell, Mr Winston and S R Hill, of Good Hope, are on the sick list.

The young folks enjoyed at a social Fayette Norvell's one night last week.

Mesdames Martin Lentz and Lee Kitchen are on the sick list this week.

Stephen Moss and Jno Cobb each have a little girl sick with pneumonia.

Estel Rhoades, Slater's handsome and successful butcher, worshipped at Good Hope Sunday.

We are to have a Xmas tree at the brick church Saturday night in New Frankfort. Everyone is invited.

Prof Lee Haines has violated the scripture (what God hath put together etc.) by sacrificing his whiskers.

Hog and corn thieves are with us in abundance and if some one don't watch, one or two heads of families will get a free ride to Jefferson City.

The government hands will quit the rock quarry near Frankfort this week. The contractor, T W Roberts, made many friends and spent much money here.

A pleasing sign of the times is to notice the intelligent democrats over the county turn with disgust from the anti-expansion utterances of

such political back numbers as Geo G Vest.

Our good Republican friend, T Frank Hupp, has completed his hand, some new house near Slater. We are also glad to state that his wife, who has been real sick, is rapidly improving.

Xmas is here again; make the children happy and let the young folk be happy. Then in after years, when the cares, disappointments and mistakes of life weigh heavy upon them, memory will call these merry Xmas times back with gladness. Load old Kris-Kinkle down with toys and presents and try and make the world better by making it happier, for unhappiness is the breeder of intemperance, vice and crime.

Salt Springs.

Rev. Beatty, of Marshall was here Friday.

C B Bacon was in Shackelford Tuesday.

Ed Hutchison returned from Chicago Tuesday.

Services at Salt Springs church, next Sunday.

Wm McClelland was in Mt. Leonard Saturday.

Luther Murry was the guest of Wm Rader Sunday.

A H Harbour leaves Monday for New York City.

Mrs Lois Gikerson has returned to Warrensburg.

Jno Whittleton was in the neighborhood recently.

Misses Dill, of Mt. Leonard attended services here Sunday.

Conrad Bauer and wife were shopping in Marshall Monday.

Messrs Will Rader and B. Kennedy were in Marshall Tuesday.

W A Orr and wife were guests at the home of W E Bauers Sunday.

The Ladies Progressive Sewing Circle met with Mrs Jno Zans Friday afternoon.

Miss Laura Whittleton who has been in the neighborhood the past week has returned home.

Willow Branch Items.

Mr Ludwig is quite sick.

R Harris went to the city last Thursday.

We wonder why Herb goes to town so often.

Charley Griffith spent last Sunday with Robt Fowler.

Miss Annie Fowler was the guest of Mrs R Harris Friday.

Hubert McMahan made a flying trip to town Thursday.

Christmas is coming; look for Santa Claus, he's coming too.

We learn there is to be a Christmas tree at Pin Oak Saturday night.

Herman Ludwig was canvassing books in our neighborhood this week.

Will Davis, of Shelby neighborhood, was the guest of R Fowler last week.

Mud is plentiful at present. If you don't think so, come down on Willow Branch.

Skating is taking the day on Willow Branch; if you don't believe it, ask Less about it.

Will Fowler, Miss Blanche Sims, Frank Sims and Miss Grace Heiromus, of Fairville, were guests of the Misses Fowler last Sunday.

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